



UVU Emergency Services Department
Emergency Medical Responder (EMR)
Frequently Asked Questions

What does the Emergency Medical Responder (EMR) course provide?

- Emergency Medical Responders provide immediate lifesaving care to critical patients who access the emergency medical services system. EMRs have the necessary knowledge and skills to provide immediate lifesaving interventions while waiting for additional EMS resources to arrive.
- Emergency Medical Responders are also employed by large Companies, Corporations, Manufacturers, and other industries for onsite Emergency Medical Services.

Do I need to be admitted to UVU to participate in this course?

- Yes! Apply for admissions at <http://www.uvu.edu/admissions/>

What is the course number and credit hours earned for Emergency Medical Responder?

- ESEC 1013-Emergency Medical Responder (EMR) – 3 credit hours

What is covered in ESEC 1013- Emergency Medical Responder course?

- The EMR licensure training extends beyond First Aid and CPR certification but is the least intense training and scope of practice compares to EMT, Advanced EMT or Paramedic. Those with an EMR license typically assist when and where pre-hospital health professionals, such as Paramedics, are not available. The course prepares students for certification as a National Registry Emergency Medical Responder.

What are the pre- or co-requisites for ESEC 1013 -Emergency Medical Response?

- You must be 16 years of age
- CPR certified at Healthcare Provider Level (CPR certification is provided during the first week of EMR course).

What is the class schedule for ESEC 1013 - Emergency Medical Responder?

- Offered Fall (August – December), and Spring (January – April) semesters. Courses are held Wednesdays at the UVU Emergency Services Building. Address: 3131 Mike Jense Parkway, Provo UT 84601

How much do these classes cost?

- This course is 3 credit hours, and the price is based on UVU tuition. For tuition amount, please refer to: <https://www.uvu.edu/tuition/>

Course/Lab Fees: Approximately \$84.00*

Lab fees includes:

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| • Basic medical supplies | Platinum EMR Testing |
| • Printing | Basic Life Support (BLS) CPR Certification |

****All fees are estimates and subject to change.***

Utah BEMS EMR application/background check/fingerprints and National Registry Cognitive Exam fee ***is not included*** in the course/lab fees. Please refer to:

BEMS: <https://emsllicense.utah.gov/>

National Registry: <https://www.nremt.org/EMR/Certification>

For further questions, please make an appointment with one of our academic advisors at

<https://www.uvu.edu/es/advising.html>

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